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Dear parents/carers,

I am writing to inform you that Ormiston Ilkeston Enterprise Academy is a 'nut free' school. In the interests of protecting staff and pupils with nut allergies, (of which there are many) we request that you do not send your children to school with any of the following:

- Packaged nuts
- Peanut butter or chocolate spreads containing nuts
- Cereal, granola or chocolate bars containing nuts
- Cake or biscuits containing nuts
- Peanut-based sauces like satay
- Any food made with sesame seeds (which can cause a similar allergic reaction)

The above list is not exhaustive. Please check the ingredient lists carefully.

Both children and adults with severe nut allergies can suffer from life-threatening reactions if they eat, smell, or touch any foods containing nuts, indeed we have already experienced severe allergic reactions since Christmas. We are therefore grateful for your cooperation in helping to keep our pupils and staff safe.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Simon Leach

Principal Ormiston Ilkeston Enterprise Academy